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Sewer Income Will Be $9,135 in 1949; What Will They Do With The Money?

For the information of those who live in infected portions of the city, the forgotten people who are permitted to vote every year but who get no change in the government, this ought to set you thinking.

Don't get mad and be intemperate. Just remember your neighbor may not appreciate suggestions. Folks are funny that way. Don't blame the city council. Just remember you put them there and you have kept them there for years and will likely keep on keeping them there, judging from experiences of the past.

Now, while your homes are invaded each evening with that old familiar human habitation scent coming in from Privy Row, remember that somebody was smarter than we are. They controlled the city government, laid the sewer lines for their benefit and the benefit of the sections of the city where they live. If we could transplant all the privies to other sections of the town you'd see the dan gumdest hustle and bustle. It would be action like we saw that afternoon when somebody stole a keg of beer from the ice house and opened it up in the wrong saloon. A Pinkerton Detective could not have been more efficient.

Getting down to facts: The city will collect from privileged potters during 1949 a total of $9,135.00 at $9 each for sewerage privileges. In 1948 there were 965 sewer connections. This year some 50 has been added and this makes a total of 1015. They tell you that collections are always 100 per cent.

The city has pledged the revenue from the sewer system to pay money back they borrowed from the Federal Government. The contract requires that the sinking fund have only enough money to pay off two bonds and interest at all times. The rate of repayment is only $1000 a year. The city is permitted to use these funds for maintenance and repair, that is a reasonable amount. If the city follows its accustomed policy as it does in the general fund and the street department, the amount of money being used for maintenance and repair is far beyond all reason.

Now, an example: Suppose the council could come out from behind the privies long enough to make a budget in its sewer department. Let's compute this on a 10 year basis. At the current rate of income the city will take in $91,350.00 in 10 years. It will pay out only $10,000 for revenue bearing bonds, plus interest. Will it take around $75,000.00 in the next ten years to maintain the swer system? Mind you none of the money has been used, except in limited cases to make sewer extension. A contract with creditors should have had a provision for proper use of surplus. More sewer lines bring in more money. There are now some 400 to 500 surface toilets in the city, mainly in regions where there is no water or no sewer lines. Of course there are far too many privies on top of sewer lines.

Suppose 500 sewer connections were added. We would then have some 1500 at $9.00 a year. That's $13,500.00 a year or a total of $135,000 in ten years. The government should find a way to save this money by putting it into sewer extensions. If they tell you the surplus goes for maintenance, then somebody should take over. Imagine a business man letting so much money go for maintenance.

Roger Q. Todd Is Awarded $2000 In Settlement Here

A settlement was reached early Monday morning in a damage suit in which Roger Q. Todd of Gause was awarded $2,000 against A. E. McCullough of Taylor.

Settlement was made during the process of obtaining a jury, it was announced by Emory B. Camp, attorney for Todd.

On May 9, 1946 at 8:00 p. m. Mr. Todd was slightly injured when an oil truck owned by McCollough crashed into his car.

The case has been pending for more than three years and is now finally settled with Mr. Todd receiving $2,000.

Baby Linda In Dallas Hospital

Through courtesy of the Dallas News this exclusive photo of Baby Linda Sweaks is brought to the readers of The Herald, many of whom had a share in the fund to give her the chance to live. She is now a beautiful, pink baby, and seems to be thanking all of you as she makes progress in the Childrens Hospital in Dallas following a heart operation.

MILESTONE FOR SURGEON

Cameron Blue Baby Is Getting Well

By HELEN BULLOCK
In The Dallas News

Linda Sue Sweaks of Cameron, a blue baby until last Wednesday when she underwent a perilous 4-hour operation here, was a pink little girl getting well Sunday.

To her Dallas surgeon, little Linda was a kind of milestone. Her case was his sixty-fifth blue baby operation, a dramatic type of heart surgery which has captured the whole country's interest.

Less than five years ago, such an operation had never been done. Less than three years ago, it had never been tried here.

But now Dallas ranks as one of the nation's leading centers for blue baby surgery. Patients have come to Linda's doctor from every section of Texas. They have traveled from Louisiana, Mississippi, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Kansas and New Mexico. One came up from Monterrey, Mexico.

Another Dallas surgeon has done three blue baby operations, giving Dallas a total score of sixty-eight.

Children like Linda are born with a heart defect which keeps the blood from circulating normally through the lungs. Their skin, and especially their lips and fingertips, reflect the bluish color of unpurified blood—actually closer to dusky purple than blue.

A blue baby operation is a delicate rearrangement of blood vessels to route more blood through the lungs. It does not attempt to change the structural defect of the heart.

Before perfection of the surgical technique most blue babies were doomed to a short and pitiful life of weariness an dsickness. Few lived beyond the age of 12.

Many blue babies are never able to run and play. Exercise exhausts

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LEGISLATURE FAILS IN FINAL RUSH AT AUSTIN

There will be no change in the dates for summer primary elections in 1950.

This newspaper was advised Saturday by Senator Kyle Vick that it appeared certain that his legislation on this measure would fail due to the time element in Austin.

Since there was no opposition to the measure, its progress had been assured. However, it appeared that nothing would pass this session that would change the dates of the primaries. Senator Vick also seeks to cure the date tangle in the old law about the time of meeting of the state and local executive committees to permit preparation of the ballot in time for absentee voting in the second primary.

Two house bills, so called ballot secrecy laws, have been passed. There will be no failure on these changes in the primary election and general election laws.

Senator Vick's bill to move the primary elections up to fourth Saturday in April and fourth Saturday in May was generally approved here and through misinformation it was assumed it had been finally enacted. Now candidates can take their time as usual since the primaries will be held in July and August of 1950.

Mrs. Bill Alex Bonds has returned from a visit with her sister, Mrs. A. L. Peterson of Yoakum.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Timmons of Gause were in Cameron on business one day this week.

Shack T. Shafer and Joe Robinson made a business trip to Dallas the past week end.

AUSTIN FUNERAL FOR FORMER RESIDENT

Joe B. Lindsey, former business man here, died at his home in Austin at 9 p. m. Tuesday, June 28.

Mr. Lindsey suffered a heart attack about a month ago and had been under care at his home. His condition was thought to be improved. His death was unexpected and came with shock to friends there and in Cameron.

Mrs. Bob Terry of Cameron is a sister of Mr. Lindsey. The family was notified of Lindsey's death early Tuesday evening and were leaving the city Wednesday for Austin.

Funeral services were to be held from the Weid-Corley Funeral Home in Austin at 10 a. m. Thursday, June 30 with interment in the capital city.

Surviving are his widow and one daughter Geraldine.

Mr. Lindsey in the early twenties was in business here, owning a grocery store he later sold to Middleton & Thomas. He was active as a Fireman in the Department here and took part in many other community activities with the result that he was very popular and a host of old friends are deeply sorrowful over his passing.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reno were in Marlin Tuesday. Their daughter has been ill and they consulted their physician there. Mr. and Mrs. Reno are planning their vacation and hope to go to California this summer.

W. O. Fisher has returned home after visiting his children in Houston the past week.

Mrs. E. J. Sebesta is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sebesta and daughter in Ft. Worth this week.

OLD CHURCH AT JONES PRAIRIE HAS PROGRAM

One hundred years of religious history will be celebrated at Little River Baptist Church at Jones Prairie beginning Friday, July 1.

A program to emphasize the century in which this church has wrought in Texas, has been arranged. The church was established in 1849. Texas then was only a little past its Republic Days. Since that time the cascade of history has poured through the arduous years and although Jones Prairie has lost some of its trade significance and the church has suffered in membership loss, it never the less has continued to play a leading role in the life of the county and to-day as the membership gets ready to observe its centennial all the people join in the feeling of appreciation for the old church.

Nearby in one of the oldest cemeteries in the state, lie buried the pioneers, many of them charter members of the church, many never members of the church and perhaps some who were never members of any church.

The Centennial Program will continue through July 3. Although the history of the church is well known to many there are no dates available to this newspaper at this time Little River is one of the oldest Baptist Churches in Texas and it is understood may be third in point of age to the church at Independence, site of Old Baylor University.

The program will begin Friday night with Rev. W. N. Clark, former pastor, delivering the address.

On Saturday night the history of the church will be presented through a pageant following a reception to welcome and honor visiting former pastors and members.

Rev. S. R. McClung, a former pastor of the church, will be in the pulpit Sunday morning. A basket lunch will be served Sunday at the church.

Rev. Stanley E. Ray, the new minister, will be in the pulpit on Sunday evening.

A cordial invitation is extended the former pastors, former members and all who wish to share in the inspiration of this occasion.

MISS SUE WEIDO

Former Sharp Girl Candidate for Queen Ft. Worth Centennial

Miss Sue Weido of 927 Eighth Avenue, Fort Worth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Weido of Sharp is a candidate for Centennial Queen of Fort Worth's coming "Fiesta-Cade", a huge historical spectacle with a cast of 2,000, marking Fort Worth's 100th Birthday Celebration. The "Fiesta-Cade" will be held nightly July 16-23.

Miss Weido, 19, an auburn-haired, green-eyed young beauty, is being sponsored by the Santa Fe Railway Company, where she has been employed as a stenographer to the Chief Claim Clerk for the past 14 months. She was an honor graduate of Buckholts High Schol in 1947, and received her diploma from Durham's Business College, Austin, Texas, in March, 1948.

There are 26 young women competing for the title, each being sponsored by an organization, civic group, industry, club, department store, etc. Besides the title, some very special prizes and expense paid trips will be awarded to the top winners."

Mrs. Susie Matthews has returned from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Pat Coleman and Lillian Muril who are visiting in Corpus this week.

CAMERON HAS NOTHING FOR JULY 4 AS USUAL

Despite the fact that merchants generally vote to close on July 4 each year, the percentage of inquiry keeps up.

For the beenfit of the merchants and all business men and the people as well, Cameron will close on Monday, July 4.

Shoppers have through Saturday, July 2 to buy their supplies. There are a few business houses that never close but they are largely in the category of drug stores, restaurants and the like.

Of course Cameron has no July 4th program and hasn't had for many years. Folks generally will go elsewhere and sweat while some will stay at home and sweat. The weather forecast is for hot weather, possibly rain.

Rockdale and Belton will hold celebrations as usual and so will Brenham. Clerks and other working folks as well as the big executive types will take off Saturday and won't come back until Tuesday.

Since July 3 is Sunday two days are afforded in which to race up and down the highways in big shiny cars, drink, drown, get killed in a dozen sort of ways and what's left of them come back with chiggers and sunburns.

Time is no more when the leather lunged politician stood on a platform and harrangued the people. Now, nobody much wants to hear anybody speak. Rodeos are popular and nobody gets hurt but the horses. But it is National Independence day and some semblance of patriotic devotion must be had though few understand what it is all about.

Little Girl Who Was Injured at Ball Game May Lose Eye; Taken To Galveston Hospital

Claranell Wildegrube, 13 year old Cameron girl, who was injured recently when struck by a bat let loose in a game in city park, is in critical condition and may lose her eye.

After several weeks here it has been discovered that she must go to a specialist. Accordingly her mother is with her in Galveston.

Eye specialists will try to save her eye. A great misfortune befell a guest of the city at the recreation program. Already the family has had to put out a considerable amount which they could ill afford.

Early Tuesday Bob Terry and Haydn Lawrence undertook circulation of a gift list and the good people here who want Claranell to have a chance to save her eye are digging down in their pocketbooks. A splendid thing and the only thing to be done when we have no organization that is willing to undertake such service.

If you want to help this little girl take your contributions to Bob Terry's Store or to Haydn Lawrence's grocery at the ice plant. The need is very urgent.

Says She Saw Fish Falling Through Rain; It Was Back in 1916

Mrs. A. H. Patzke of Cross Roads comes forward with more confirmation that it does rain fish.

Recent stories about finding fish after big rains has inspired many to recall the things they remember from the past.

"It was in 1916 that I saw a fish falling through the rain," said Mrs. Patzke. "It was on my father's farm, the G. A. Wiese place near Cross Roads. It was raining very hard and we had had some hail. I looked out the window and saw a fish about 4 feet from the ground, coming down through the rain. My mother saw it too. We wanted to go out and pick it up but my father would not let us go because of the rain and hail. My father went out and picked the fish up off the ground. The fish was a scale fish and about 6 inches long."

So the story goes, one after another telling about seeing fish come down in the rain. Mrs. Patzke read about fish in the rain in The Herald and was moved to tell the publisher of what she saw 33 years ago.

Miss Vera Fisher, County Treasurer visited friends at Hanover Sunday afternoon.

SAN ANTONIO MAN IS FOUND DEAD TUESDAY

Ricardo Sabas Reynas, 35, a resident of San Antonio was found shot to death on the H. F. Smith farm near Hanover around 7:00 p. m. Tuesday by Mrs. Henry Conzales.

Reynas was visiting his relatives, members of the Conzales family on the Smith farm. Around noon Tuesday he decided to go hunting and took a 22 rifle from the house. When he did not return members of the family became anxious and set out to find him.

A short distance from the home they found Reynas' body sprawled over a wire fence. He had been shot through the head and near by lay the rifle with a discharged shell in the barrell.

Sheriff Carl Black who went to the Smith farm said Reynas had evidently attempted to get through the fence and the gun was accidentally discharged resultng in his death. His body lay on the ground and his leg was caught in the wre.

Justice of the Peace, Womack Brashear, held an inquest and rendered a verdict of accidental death by gun shot wound.

The body of Reynas was at the Green Funeral Home awaiting funeral arrangements. Reynas is survived by his widow and three children.

Belated Naval Honors Received By Members Of Crew of U. S. S. President Adams

Although it has been almost seven years since the U. S. S. President Adams nosed into the fighting and participated in the landings on Guadalcanal in the first major blow at Japanese installations in the South Pacific, members of the crew have just received the Award of the Navy Unit Commendation.

Joe Bill White who now lives on East Laurel street in Bellaire, Texas, a bustling city within Houston, looks back with a great deal of amazing retrospect at the rapid fire events of those days when he, a member of the crew of the President Adams, helped pioneer the first amphibious landings in history.

White, a native of Cameron and son of the Publisher, received his Navy Unit Commendation Ribbon under date of June 3 from the chief of Naval Personnel in Washington. The Navy Unit Commendation is a source of pride to the men who fought in the navy. This decoration is made the more prized because the U. S. S. President Adams was the only ship to receive these honors. Its mission was a peculiar one. Before the Japs blasted Pearl Harbor the Adams was

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FLOOD CONTROL GETS UNDER WAY AT BELTON

Formal award of the first Leon dam construction contract to the Hunter Construction Co. of Ada., Okla., for $187,593, was announced Tuesday by Lt. Col. E. I. Davis, U. S. army district engineer at Galveston.

The Hunter company was announced on June 8 as the apparent low bidder on the job. At the same time, it was announced that start of construction would come within 10 days of the contract award, which means that work on the long-needed Leon project will begin the week of July 4-9.

N. R. Smith of Bryan was awarded a $22,647 contract for construction of necessary buildings at the dam site, and Texas Water Wells, Inc. of Houston got a $15,675 contract for a water supply system. The three contracts total $225,905.

The Hunter company's contract calls for erection of the initial earth embankment, 1,500 feet long and 50 feet high, containing half a million cubic feet of fill.

The dam itself, when completed at an estimated cost of $25,500,000 will be 5,100 feet long, and will rise 190 feet above the river bed. It will have a concrete center section. The stable reservoir area will be 7,400 acres.

The dam site is approximately three miles north of Belton and seven miles southwest of Temple, about one mile up the Leon from the Highway 317 bridge.

Alderman Terry Says: "You Can Quote Me; Everything You Have Said Is God's Truth."

We had intended to-day telling briefly the story of how a Cameron business woman got action along "Latrene" Avenue after she had been scolded severely by officials for wanting an offender to connect with the sewer line.

Alderman Bob Terry who has been on the Council so long that many think he is responsible for all the ills of the present chaos, hailed me down late Wednesday. Mr. Terry is terribly sincere. It just so happens that this Newspaper knows how Mr. Terry has sought action on sewer connections. Honest folks, Bob Terry, has raised plenty hell about the horrible things that are now happening to you and about the disastrous financial losses the present policy has brought about. Now, don't go away. Let's hear what Bob has to say.

"Everything you have written is the God's truth. I have been raising cain for a long time. I have repeatedly sought to get something done but have not succeeded. You can quote me. They tell me we can do nothing unless your neighbor files a complaint about a privy under his kitchen window. I told them for God's sake to take action and I would file the complaints. You can blame it on me, I said. Well, it's so bad we are face to face with serious consequences.

"All these years some 300 property owners who are on the sewer lines have been permited to operate 300 privies. Think what could have been done had they been required as the law plainly says, to connect up. At $9 each 300 sewer connections would mean $2700 a year. Well, anybody with a thimble full of brains ought to know that in ten years that would mean $27,000. We have lost it and we will continue to lose it. Think what could be done if all the areas were cleaned up. The city can lay sewer lines off this revenue if we could get them on the sewer lines.

"I cannot legally go into court and force the issue. I am not a lawyer and could not function as an official in a legal capacity. All I can say is it is a critical situation. Why, we can't even get along with what we have. We had to raise the sewer tax to maintain our present system and when I think of the many who are not being taxed because they are not on the sewer lines, it makes me plumb sick and mad.

"Not so long ago a certain man brought in a petition asking the city to run a line up a certain street. Every property owner had signed up they would connect with the sewer. Well, what happened? Only two or three actually connected. Still, we are so weak in our enforcement policy that we had to stand by and lose the effectiveness of the money we had spent to eliminate a privy section on that street. Later that same man brought another petition in and I had to tell him it was no use for the city to spend that money if people were not required to comply with the law. The law is plain and simple. If you live within 100 feet of a sewer line you have to connect with the sewer. The city can't connect your home to a sewer. All we can do is provide the lines. Some people confuse this. They think we have to build the line that runs to their toilets. Remember our duty ends when we lay the mains in the streets along your property.

"Now they have condemned the disposal plant. Do we have any money or any sewer income? The answer is no. We never will until we enforce the law about sewer connections. Such things as sewerage are possible without taxes because we simply take the revenues and build. It's the greatest opportunity in the world to have a clean city. If we could only find a way to be strong enough to live up to our responsibilities the people have trusted us with."

We are not asking any official to talk for publication. But wouldn't it be a pleasing thing if they would. What a great thing it would be for our city if those who have the power could be induced to act?

Friends of L. E. Thompson will regret to learn he is ill and a patient in Newton Memorial Hospital.

A Feat of Angling

J. R. POOLE
Tells about exciting struggle with big one that didn't get away.

Milam County Scores Again; This Time It Is Cat Fish; Local Angler Gets Big One

With public attention focused on the civic snarl and other issues of absorbing interest, we hesitate to change the program, but something much bigger has happened.

Milam county stands first in everything and tall tales from the magic soil belt have intrigued the world for generations.

Now comes the biggest story of the year. It's about J. Reese Poole, of the Cameron Herald, who turns in the best angling feat of the year and has all the Tarpon boys down on the Gulf groggy.

In the photo above is a medium sized Little River cat fish, taken from a secret stretch of water known only to Mr. Poole and a few close friends like, Buster Hobson, Clarence Allison and Tom Layne. Mr. Poole in relating the story, was modest, and inclined to pass the whole exciting thing off as a mere incident in the day of good fishing along the river banks.

"We set out the other night on one of our unimpressive jaunts to the river. None of us boys have anything like standard fishing equipment. We just take a pocket knife and cut down a willow limb, take some string, run it through a snuff bottle cork, put on a little old hook and bait it with fat meat. Of course all good fishermen spit on their hooks as they throw in. Now, the remarkable thing about this little fish I caught, I didn't spit on my hook.

"No sooner had I cast the hook and bait in the water until we felt a slight quake all around us. Actually we thought the world might be coming to an end. That fish made a bee line for my hook and he came in so fast he plowed all the water upon the banks. You could see the bottom. A lot of other fish got killed in the rush. Well, I guess I was pretty lucky. That fish churned up the waters and every once in a while he would let out the most awful noise you ever heard, just like a mad bull in a Mexican ring. Well, there I was with my little willow pole and cotton line and all around me Buster, Clarence and Tom. They wanted to help me but I was determined. I says "Boys this may be old Lead Pencil himself and if I can land him I'll put an end to that legend about the "Big One" always getting away. As the night wore on I kept up the battle and just before dawn the old boy got sleepy and we hooked the pick up onto him and dragged him out."

But it wasn't old Lead Pencil. It was one of the smaller cats that you see along the river. Asked where the spot is where this great feat of angling took place, Poole just smiled and said: "All I'll say is that me and Buster, Clarence and Tom, want a chance at the big one, Old Lead Pencil himself and we are going back. I will say this, though, it is somewhere near the railroad trestle where the big one has broken so many hooks, lines and poles."

There is a legend about Old Lead Pencil. He is a catfish with whiskers as large as lead pencils. Nearly every fisherman has tried at one time or another to land him. Imagine Mr. Poole's surprise when he found he had only a small cat fish for all his trouble. It's the stoical optimism of the fisherman that always sends them back. And, most any night now, if you watch you can see these boys going back to the river.

P. S. This is to notify one curious person, and not calling any names (Niley Smith) that I did not go on Sunday.

Clarence Jackson of Salty visited friends in Cameron one day the past week. He is president of the Milam County Singing Convention. The next convention will be held at Salty.

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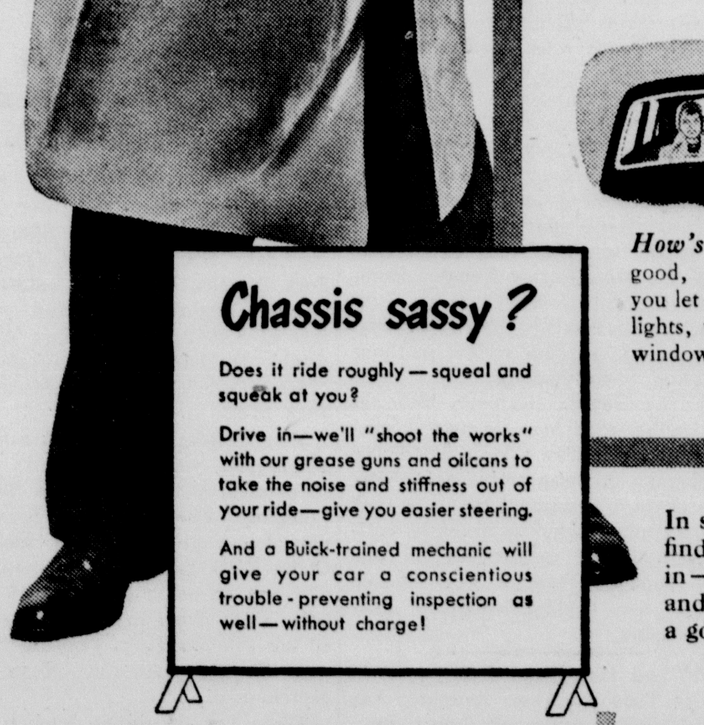
THE CAMERON THEATRE
SUNDAY AND MONDAY, JULY 3 and 4



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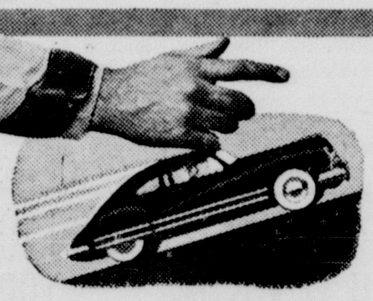

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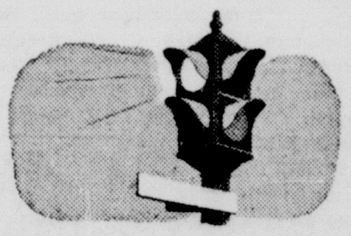

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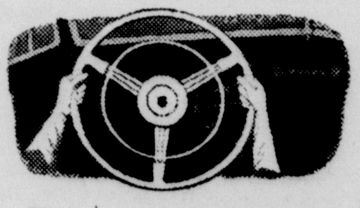

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MILAM GETS HEAVY SHOWERS SATURDAY

Rain round-up early Saturday showed that Milam county was greatly benefited by heavy showers that fell late Friday and early this morning.

Over the state generally the picture was about the same, although Fort Worth had received more than an inch of rain Saturday morning bringing the total there for the year up to more than 29 inches.

West Texas continued to have downpours. It was raining in a wide strip across the Panhandle early Saturday. San Antonio had more than an inch of rain. The Waco area in central Texas got heavy rains Friday.

In Milam county there were a number of dry sections. Out in the Maysfield area crops have been slowly failing for some weeks due to the drouth. Some rain had fallen there Saturday morning. South of Cameron in the Minerva community conditions have been bad due to lack of rainfall. Heavy showers had fallen there also. West of Cameron and north where most of the blacklands lie heavy rains had fallen Friday and early Saturday more rain had fallen.

Corn crops in heavy lands had been largely benefited earlier in the month and now in many sections crops are assured. The dry, hot weather was a boon to cotton. Reports coming in from all sections tell of good cotton.

Temple has had more than 2 inches of rain. Marak had an inch Friday morning and Buckholts had a half inch. To these amounts more had been added Saturday with the advent of the squall weather that had cooled off a parched Texas.

"I can't afford it."

"You mean you saved for it only a dollar at a time?"

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Louis Jackson and Luebirda Wood.

Harold L. Kasner and Mildred Mason.

Deeds

Emmett McGuire et ux to Mrs. Ida McGuire, lot No. 6 of the Pierser addition to the City of Rockdale $600.

Leo N. Harris et ux, to Alton Coldiron, undivided interest in 15 3-5 acres of the Smith Vincent grant $400.

Sam H. Waddel et al, to Lida Hosea, Quit Claim deed to 32 acres of the D. Sullivan one-third league grant $10.

Lida Hosea et vir to Sam H. Waddel et al, 32 acres of the S. D. Sullivan one-third league grant $10.

William Luther Reichert et ux to E. C. Brown, 58 2-10 acres of the J. J. Acosta survey, $1,000.

H. E. Graham of J. K. Elliott et ux, 1 acre of the W. W. Lewis survey $10 and other valuable considerations.

K. C. Rogers et ux to L. E. Crow, lots Nos. 5 and 6 in the Burns first Addition to City of Cameron $400.

City of Cameron to L. H. Obermiller, S .W. one-fourth of lot No. 23 in Park addition to Oak Hill Cemetery $30.

C. Erskine McDermott et ux, to T. C. Lewis et ux, 10.46 acres of the J. R. Cockerel and John Hobson surveys $10.

T. C. Lewis et ux, to C. Erskin McDermott et ux, 10.46 acres, a part of the Hobson survey $10.

R. B. Caraway et ux to Bennie Holley, 46 3-4 acres of the Jose Leal grant, near the village of Minerva, $10 and other valuable considerations.

Dosie Cotton et ux, to Mrs. Maud Williams, lot No. 2 in Block C of the Douthet-Coulter addition to City of Rockdale, in the D. A. Thompson survey, $10 and other valuable consideartions.

Julia Krenek et vir to Kenneth B. Elliott et ux, a part of block No. 4 of Hoods addition to City of Cameron $3,750.

Oil and Gas Leases

Carl William Crouch to Chas. M. Barnes, 13 2-3 acers of the James Hannum grant $1.00.

C. A. Arendendale et ux to Robert M. Jordon, 12 2-3 acres of the J. J. Acosta grant, $10.

Karl Hanke et ux to Julian E. Simon 100 acres of the J. J. Acosta grant, $10.

New Cars

C. E. Akers, Buick 4-door Sedan.

J .L. Lamkin, Chevrolet D. S. Coupe.

Nat B. Wofford, Chevrolet Sedan.

C. G. Colburn, Chevrolet Sedan.

A. A. McVoy, Chevrolet D. T. Sedan.

Travis Motors, Pontiac Dlx. Sedan Coupe.

Rev. Henry M. Bailey, Kaiser 4-door Sedan.

Mrs. William J. Newton, Buick Sedanet.

Bert Nicholson, Packard 4-door Sedan.

John W. Jeter, Packard 4-door Sedan.

William E. Kaulfus, Chevrolet 4-door Sedan.

Jesse Kirk, GMC Truck.

Will Hines, Plymouth Club Coupe.

A. W. Butts, Chevrolet TSED.

James C. Andrews, Ford Truck.

Mrs. H. G. Perry, Ford Club Coupe.

W. H. Fletcher, Ford Fordor.

Reba S. Walker, Ford Cus. Fordor.

Bessie Marak, Plymouth Special Club Coupe.

Phillips & Luckey Co. Buick Amb. and Funeral Car.

Hoyte H. D. Club Plans Room For Activities

The Hoyte H. D. Club is arranging the Hoyte Lunch room for a club and plan to seal and paper the room. A kitchen will be arranged for the use of demonstrations and other entertainment. Curtains are also being made A book case was given the club by Mrs. Elrod and Mrs. Virgil Coward donated a settee and big table and each member will furnish one chair.

The club is rapidly growing and meets the first and third Tuesday of each month. Visitors are always welcome.

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SUIT WILL BE FILED FOR TITLE TO LAND

Suit papers have been prepared by special counsel for the county in a condemnation proceeding involving right of way on Highway 77 near Burlington.

Emory B. Camp said early Monday that he will file the suit late Monday or Tuesday. The suit is to be against Mrs. Katharine Witt of Burlington across whose land the survey runs. She would not agree to sell the land required at the price fixed by the Commissioners Court and suit was necessary to condemn the necessary acreage.

Bill Wallace of Cameron is representing Mrs. Witt in the litigation which is soon to ensue.

The Commissioners Court retained the services of cunsel when it appeared that the county attorney had delayed the matter too long. Over a year ago the Highway Commission called for the right of way. The matter has been pending for a long time with all deeds in hand except the one involving the Witt property.

In another right of way action the county also hired Camp & Camp. This action involved lands on the road from Rockdale to Tracy on a farm to market road. A Co-op utility company had refused to move its lines for the new road.

The Highway Commission, some time ago called for a survey on Highway 36 from Cameron to the Bell county line. So far no deeds have been called for but they will soon be asked for by the commission and the court will be faced with the necessity to get them.

Construction progress has not been made on 77 because the county does not have the right of way. Two bridges are being built, one over Elm and the other over Walkers Creek.

The Highway Commission has been splendid in every way through all the negotiations on Highway 36 and 77 and have completely fulfilled their pledges. The Commissioners Court had made good progress until the matter of court proceedure came up and they had been unable to get any action through the county attorneys office. Now special counsel will proceed.

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LINDA—
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them. They have frequent colds and coughs.

Some are subject to fainting spells and convulsions, resulting from poor oxygen supply to the brain cells.

So it was no wonder that a new operation which suddenly offered these hopeless kiddies a chance at a normal life aroused a thumping public interest which is still growing.

It was at Johns Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore, on Nov. 29, 1944, that Dr. Alfred Blalock did the first blue baby operation. It was a climax of many long months of research by Dr. Blalock and Dr. Helen Taussig, director of the hospital's pediatric heart clinic.

Before trying the technique on a child Dr. Blalock and Dr. Haussig experimented on seventy-five dogs. The heart vessels in dogs are similar in size and arrangement to those in children.

Linda's surgeon also learned by practicing on dogs—thirteen of them at Southwestern Medical College here.

That was after he had spent three weeks with Dr. Blalock in Baltimore. Later, he went back to Baltimore for further study, and last year he studied with Dr. Willis Potts in Chicago, learning a new modification of the Blalock opeartion.

The Dallas doctor's first blue baby operation was performed here Aug. 2, 1946, on 10-year-old Janie Lou Adair of Odessa. She is now leading a normal life.

His blue baby patients since then have ranged from 6 weeks old to 22 years. The preferred ages are 2 to 8 years.

All operations on children under 14 are done at Children's Hospital of Texas, a Community Chest agency. Ten blue baby operations have been done at Baylor, two at Parkland.

Children's Hospital, where fifty-six of the operations have been done, sets aside each Wednesday morning for heart surgery. Operations are booked ahead for the next ten Wednesday, and nine other blue babies have been diagnosed but not yet scheduled for surgery.

An atmosphere of tension, hope and crossed fingers trickles through Children's Hospital every Wednesday. Thoughts of the whole staff converge on the surgery room.

Blue babies are poor operative risks and the long operation is dangerous. But it's a risk most parents gladly take, because without surgery the child faces a gloomy, if not hopeless, future.

About 80 per cent of blue babies can be helped by surgical treatment. Careful and accurate diagnosis is of supreme importance to avoid subjecting the other 20 per cent to a hazardous operation which can be of no value.

"People should know", said Linda's surgeon, "that this treatment requires the work of a medical team. A surgeon can not do it alone."

One member of the team is a heart specialist. Another is a radiologist, expert in the X-ray field. These two, plus laboratory technicians, do the complex presurgery diagnosis.

In the operating room, the chief surgeon requires the aid of skilled assistant surgeons and anethetic specialists.

NAVAL HONORS—
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a luxury liner. Pressed into service with a mantle of armour it landed the First Marines on Guadalcanal. These operations occured from August 7 to August 9, 1942. White, a Coxswain, was shortly out of boot camp at San Diego. His job was to drive a landing boat with men and guns and to keep them supplied. This was the first of six invasions in which he took part.

Now he has long service bars and the Commendation Ribbon that put the seventh star on his battle record. During the course of these invasion battles White suffered only a slight wound when a Jap machine gun bullet grazed his left arm.

The Adams was one among three President ships in that series of 8 major campaigns of the Pacific. It later got a bomb hit off Tarawa. Three other ships made up the supply fleet and often without naval support.

White spent 22 months in combat in the South Pacific, finally being transfered to Naval Officer school at Georgetown and later University of Texas. He married Miss Dorothy Perry of Houston, graduate of Southwestern. They have a baby girl, Laurel Ann.

The Unit Commendation goes to the President Adams for eight campaigns, the first six were those in which White saw combat:

"The Secretary of the Navy has awarded the U. S. S. President Adams the Navy Unit Commendation for exceptionally meritorious service in action against enemy Japanese aircraft, shore batteries, submarines and mines in the South Pacific Campaign during the following operations:

The Guadalcanal-Tulagi landings, August 7 to 9, 1942.

The Consolidation of the Southern Solomons, February 8 to June 20, 1943.

The Night Torpedo Action off Malaita February 17, 1943.

The Battle of Rendova, June 30, 1943.

The Battle of Bougainville November 1 to 8, 1943.

The landing at Guam July 21 to 26, 1944.

The Landing at Lingayen January 11 and 12, 1945.

The Iwo Jima Operation February 19 to 28, 1945.

"By virtue of your service in the U. S. S. President Adams during one or more of the periods cited, you are hereby authorized to wear as a part of your uniform, the appropriate Navy Unit Commendation insignia.

Mrs. Ray Green of Sharp visited in Cameron Thursday of the past week.

REV. STANLEY E. RAY

Little River Baptist Calls New Pastor; Rev. Stanley E. Ray

The membership of Little River Baptist Church, Jones Prairie, have announced the calling of Rev. Stanley E. Ray to serve as pastor. Rev. Ray has assumed his duties and is now residing at Jones Prarie.

Rev. Ray comes to Little River after having pastored the Five Points Baptist Church of the Robertson County Association during the past year. The new pastor is thirty years of age, married, and a native of Longview, Texas.

At present he is attending Baylor University. His family consists of wife and one daughter, Barbara, age eighteen months.

Since the calling of Rev. Ray, the Church has laid plans for the celebration of the 100th birthday of its founding on July 2, 3, and 4.

GIRL TOSSES NOTE OUT CAR TO WARN OFFICERS

ST. PAUL, Va., June 25—The FBI took charge today in the case of blonde Barbara Lamaar, who claims she was kidnapped in Texas by two brothers and then brought to Virginia in a leisurely cross-country auto trip.

Police Chief Walter D. Neely said the State planned to lodge no charges against the brothers, James and William Bearden, on the basis of Barbara's story. He said he turned over the case to the FBI.

The two will be held for authorities in Killeen, Texas where they are charged with auto theft. Neely said he received a telegram yesterday from Sheriff E. T. Ray, of Bell County, informing him that the Bearden brothers were wanted there.

Both men, along with Miss Lamarr, 24, were being held today in jail at nearby Lebanon, where they were transferred, last night from the local lockup. Miss Lamarr was held as a witness, two men as fugutives from justice.

The Beardens were arrested Thursday night as their car passed through this town of 800. Miss Lamarr tossed a note from the window of the car which led police to the chase.

Police Chief Tom Ellis, of Decatur, Ga., said yesterday that the Bearden brothers had visited relatives in Decatur on their way north last Tuesday and that Barbara was left in their car, alone.

She "stayed in that car alone when she could have gotten away in the crowds on a busy street," Ellis declared.

Police said one of the brothers, James, 29, was wanted for parole violation in South Carolina and that both William, 24, and James were wanted for auto theft in Texas.

Judge W. A. Morrison Presides At Two Murder Trials In Dallas Court

Judge W. A. Morrison returned to his home in Cameron late Saturday from Dallas where he presided in a Criminal District Court during the trial of two murder cases.

Judge Morrison tried both cases during the week, calling the second while the jury was still deliberating in the first case. Judge Morrison serving his first term as Judge of the 20th Judicial District, Milam county, said he enjoyed his week on the bench in Dallas and feels that disposing of two cases in one week where juries, evidence, rulings on questions of law and proceedure were involved, is good action for the docket.

He recently volunteered for bench duties in connection with docket cleanup in a Dallas court and will return again soon.

In a cleanup of the docket here some weeks ago Judge Morrison dismissed about 700 cases, which had been pending for years and for want of prosecution.

Nedra Bartlett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Bartlett is ill in Newton Memorial Hospital.

SECOND INSURED LOAN UNDER FHA IS MADE

The second FHA Insured Loan to a Milam County farmer was closed June 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hoelscher of Route 1, Cameron, received the loan and purchased a 142 acre farm located 3 miles southwest of Cameron. They have been tenant farmers all of their lives and have been living on the farm they bought, for the past 10 years.

Roy Wright, County FHA Supervisor, explained that although only two insured loans have been made in the County, 35 direct loans have been made. The funds for the direct loans came directly out of the U. S. Treasury, while the funds for the insured loans are invested by local institutions and insured by the Government. For the insured loans the Applicant must put up 10 per cent of the total investment.

Mr. Wright also said, that of the 37 farm purchase loans made in the County 9 have paid for their farms in full and that there is at present $164,584.20 outstanding principal balance of which only 5 families are behind on their payments for a total of $1258.61, or .76 of one per cent of the total outstanding principal balance.

Mr. Wright said that the FHA Farm Ownership families and the County FHA Committeemen who have served in the past 10 years can be justly proud of this record.

Barbecue Slated For Poage By Landowners

Invitations have been mailed out for the barbecue to be given by land owners along Little River Saturday, July 2.

J. C. Freeman, Chairman of the invitation committee, says the barbecue will be given to show Congressman Poage how much the land owners appreciate the work of the congressman for flood control.

Farmers in Little River bottoms will profit more in the long run than any others along the course of the stream.

The committee will appreciate prompt response on the cards indicating whether you can attend.

James Elrod of Hoyte visited in Cameron Monday.

Head of Famous Cow Mounted By Sheriff Black on Display

Applause for Sheriff Carl Black.

A unique manifestation of fine sentiment led him recently to have the head of a prized cow mounted by a taxidermist.

The head of the cow is hanging from the wall of the sheriff's office and he has good reason to have had deep affection for this animal.

Mr. Black bought the cow in 1933 when she was a heifer, from the late Charlie Kirk of Cameron for $6.50. She mothered 15 calves of her own and on the Black farm now are 3 grown cows from this big family of calves.

The mother cow was half Brahma She died on January 29, 1948 during a blizzard and at the time had a small calf. The baby was saved. Mr. Black removed the head and sent it to H. B. Durben, Taxidermist at Brenham. The mounting job was expertly done.

Jerry Lanicek of Dallas spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lanicek and other relatives in Clarkson and Cameron.

LINDA'S FUND GROWS

Since the last report a total of $7 has been received for Little Linda Sweaks, the blue baby, now in a Dallas hospital.

The total to date is $1,652.60. Here are the contributors since the last report:

Gary Deason, Austin	$1.00
Herbert and Cora Deason, Austin	5.00
Mrs. Teresa Hyer, Buckholts	1.00

Mrs. C. E. Greenfield of Ben Arnold visited in Cameron Thursday. She is an aunt of little Linda Sweaks.

$1,702.60 FOR LITTLE LINDA

Little Linda Sweaks who was a blue baby prior to her opeartion in Dallas on June 22, continues to be in the hearts of good Texans. Early Tuesday her father, Claude Sweaks, reported that Alice Y. Thompson of the Yakey Farm at Taylor had sent a check for $50. That brought the amount to $1,702.60.

Rip Woods of Hanover visited in Cameron Monday of this week.

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FOR SALE—Frigid Freeze locker at Friendly Tavern. Model 1, 20 cubic ft. holds 1000 pounds. Priced to sell. See W. F. Plocek or phone 9517. 13-1tc

WANTED GOOD MERCHANDISE —Used furniture, ice boxes, wood heaters, cook stoves, dishes, quilts, trunks, guns, tools, men, women and childrens clothing and anything of value. THE TRADING POST, 511 WEST 8th SANTA FE TOWN, CAMERON, TEXAS. 13-1tc

WANT TO BUY—Good used typewriter. Phone 728-M. 13-1tp

FOR SALE—8 row dusting machine for Ford Tractor $100. Cameron Compress Company. 13-1tc

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WANTED TO BUY FARM—Must be bargain. Prefer unimproved, give price, location and size. Emil Kubenka, Route, Wiemer, Texas. 13-2tp

FOR SALE—One good jersey cow with young calf. Call Sidney Frazier at Buckholts. 13-2tp

FOR SALE OR LEASE—71 acres located six miles east of Cameron on Hanover road. J. T. Krull, Route 3, Cameron. 12-2tp

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SHERIFF'S SALE

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF MILAM

By Virtue of an execution issued out of the Honorable Justice Court of Precinct No. 4, of Milam County, on the 11th day of April, 1949, in the case of J. D. Peoples, plaintiff versus Z. K. Thurman, defendant No. 1146, and to me, as Sheriff directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the FIRST TUESDAY IN July, A. D. 1949, it being the 5th day of said month, before the Court House door of said Milam County, in the City of Cameron, Texas, the following described property, to-wit:

184 acres of land out of the D. H. Vanveighton grant and 101½ acres out of the Smith Vincent grant, located about 20 miles south of Cameron and in Milam county, Texas, generally known as the W. E. Gaither place, and more recently as the Thurman farm. Said lands being fully described in deed from W. E. Gaither to Z. K. Thurman recorded in Vol. 255 pg. 369 of Milam county deed records to which deed and its said record reference is here made and same are made a part hereof for a full description of said lands by metes and bounds.

Levied on as the property of Z. K. Thurman to satify a Judgment amounting to $99.13 in favor of J. D. Peoples, and cost of suit.

Given under my hand, this 12th day of April, 1949.

CARL C. BLACK, Sheriff
Milam County, Texas.
By Will Vaughan, Deputy.

8-4tc

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H. B. McClellen, Secretary

CAMERON REBEKAH LODGE
No. 46
Meets First and Third Tuesday Nights
Virgie Gill, Noble Grand
Johnnie Lee Richards, Secretary

W. A. Keith, Jr., of Cameron is among the patients ill in Newton Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Florence Bass of Houston has concluded a week's visit here with her mother, Mrs. Emma Butts.

MRS. EMMA SMITH DIED IN CALIFORNIA

Mrs. Emma Inez Smith, 47, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frances LaRue, in San Bernadino, California, Tuesday, June 21.

She had been visiting there for the past few months and had not been ill prior to her death and news of her demise was received here with shock. Relatives were notified late Tuesday. She was reared at Buckholts and member of a prominent pioneer family there.

Funeral services were to be held from the First Methodist Church in Buckholts Sunday, June 26 at 3:00 p. m. by Rev. Fowler, pastor. Interment in the Corinth Cemetery.

Surviving are her husband P. J. Smith of Buckholts; one son, James Smith of Galt, California and one daughter, Mrs. LaRue of San Bernadino, California.

Four brothers and four sisters survive as follows. True Lofton, Arle Lofton, Carl Lofton and Hallie Lofton, all of Buckholts; Mrs. Lora Price, Mrs. Minnie Allison, Mrs. Opal Gandy and Miss Lucille Lofton, all of Buckholts.

The body arrived in Buckholts Saturday morning and was taken to the home of Mrs. Minnie Allison.

The Green Funeral Home in Cameron will direct arrangements and any information desired by friends can be obtained by calling the funeral home.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to all our friends and neighbors who were so kind to us during the illness and death of our dear mother. Especiall do we thank Dr. T. E. Crump and Dr. Leland Denson. May God Bless each of you.

J. A. Claxton,
Vera V. Claxton,
Frank H. Claxton,
Mrs. M. L. Gunn,
Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Gunn,
Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Gunn,
Mrs. Essie Claxton and sons,
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Susek,
Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Rider.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deep appreciation for the kindness shown us during the illness and at the death of our loved one. We are especially grateful to the doctors and nurses at Newton Memorial Hospital for their untiring effort and tender care. For the floral offerings, expressions sympathy and many ways you helped us in our hour of sorrow, we shall always be grateful.

Mrs. Marshall Chambers
and Family.

OUR APPRECIATION

To our friends and neighbors for being so helpful when our home was recently destroyed by fire. We especially want to thank the ladies of Branchville and Maysfield for their aid, and to each of you who helped us, we are truly grateful.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood Cobb

Rosebud Gets New Library; Also Has Municipal Building

Rosebud's new $60,000 D. Brown Memorial Library was dedicated Tuesday.

The building, donated by C. F. Brown in memory of his late wife, Mrs. D. Brown, was turned over to the Wednesday Study Club which will have charge of its maintenance and operation.

Although the study club will have charge of the building, it was actually deeded to the City of Rosebud.

Brown, in his presentation, said: "I make this gift in memory of my deceased wife, D. Brown, and it is my desire that said building be operated as a non-denominational library and civic center by the City of Rosebud and the Wednesday Study Club, which has through its efforts, secured the many needed gifts of personal property and furniture to make possible the use of said building as a library."

Control of the library is vested in a library board to be composed of two members of the city council appointed by mayor, and two represenattives of the Wednesday Study Club elected by its board of directors.

Rosebud also has a municipal building. The people of that city have profited better than Cameron because they have something for their taxes.

DRUNK DRIVING

Ernest Nellams paid a fine of $50.00 to which was added the costs of court here this week for drunk driving. He was arrested by Highway Patrolmen at Milano and entered his plea before Judge Dan Tyson.

The lowest fine for drunk driving is $50 and the highest is $500.00

CHOICE MELONS BRING DOLLAR BUSHEL HERE

Milam county will ship out around 250 car loads of cantaloupes this year thinks J. L. Foster at the Foster Produce Company here.

Mr. Foster admited the crop might reach around 300 cars but was not too well informed on the actual state of the crop in every section of the county.

Foster Produce Company was paying $1.00 bushel for Cantaloupes Friday. A bushel of cantaloupes will weigh about 55 pounds. The price is less than 2c per lb.

The Cantaloupe crop will bring the farmers around $175,000 or more depending on how much advantage the crop got in the early days of the opening market. Right now Mr. Fosthem vine ripe. Here the crop is flooding the market. They have a bumper crop out there.

The Arizona shippers handle their crop better by crating and shipping them vin ripe. Here the crop is handled in bulk.

Streams of big trucks are coming in to this county. Each big truck will haul away the equivalent of one freight car of cantaloupes.

Mr. Foster praised the tomato crop. He said they are still coming in and he is paying 3c lb. for No. 1 green shippers and one and a half cents for No. 2.

Ripe tomatos are flooding the market but are still bringing a profitable price due to their quality and consumption locally and in other markets.

149 Miles to Gallon With Studebaker Wins Mileage Marathon

WOOD RIVER, Ill., June 26—The tenth annual automobile "mileage marathon" was won Saturday by R. J. Greenschield, who averaged 149.95 miles to the gallon on a special 14-mile course near Wood River.

Greenschield, a research scientist at the Shell Oil Company plant, drove a standard 1947 Studebaker which he had tuned up and lubricated to watch-like precision.

He negotiated the course slowly at about 15 miles an hour and switched off the engine at times, coasting to save fuel.

Julian Ryan, another company employe, won the class "B" competition by an averaging 81.19 miles a gallon in a 1938 Chevrolet.

NEW TYPEWRITER MAN

H. C. Ford of Waco has taken over the Royal Typewriter agency in Temple that serves Cameron. He succeeds Don D. Powell.

Mr. Powell who has many friends here, is going to Fort Worth with a promotion in the service of the company and the people will be glad to know of his progress.

The company in Temple maintains sales and service on Royal Typewriters.

Frank Hartley of Milano was in Cameron Monday of the past week.

LITTLE EMORY IS HOME

Emory Camp, III, is home. He was returned Tuesday from King Daughters Hospital in Temple where he had been critically ill following a tonsil operation. Little Emory is doing fine but a bit upset over loss of his Terrier pup "Ritzy" who disappeared last night. If you see "Ritzy" call the Camp home. Little Emory will be grateful.

Claude Sweaks, father of Baby Linda, the blue baby, was in Dallas over the week end to visit with his family. The baby, now recovering was operated on for a heart ailment on June 22. Mrs. Sweaks is staying in Dallas during Baby Linda's illness.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hovis of Belton are the proud parents of a daughter born at Scott and White Hospital in Temple Monday, June 20, 1949. The baby weighed seven pounds and two ounces and has been named, Marilyn Kay. Mrs. Hovis is the former Miss Mary Wallace of Belton and the father is the son of Mrs. Lula Rogers of Cameron. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace of Belton and Mrs. Lula Rogers of Cameron.

Pearl Cummings and so nof Austin visited in Cameron Friday of the past week. The Cummings formerly lived in Milam County.

ROBBERY ATTEMPTED

Thieves sought to rob the Brannon Service Station and Grovery in Minerva early Friday, it was reported by officers. They gained entrance to the garage but could not break the lock on the store. So far as known nothing is missing.

Mr. and Mrs. John Young and daughter Patricia of Odessa are visiting his mother, Mrs. Dallie Young and sister Mrs. Mary Young Green.

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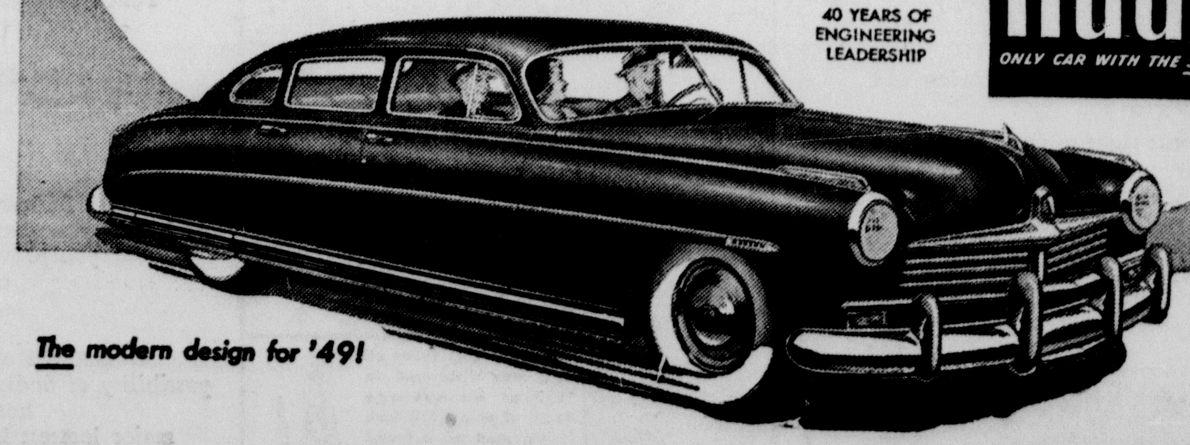

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SCHOOL PROBLEMS TALKED OVER HERE

There are 11 common school districts in Milam county to be consolidated with other districts. These districts are dormant because they have no local schools and under the Gilmer-Aikin laws they must be taken in by other districts.

This was one of the problems discussed here Monday night when 100 representatives of the school districts in the county gathered for a conference with County Superintendent Chas. M. Hicks.

Special emphasis was laid on the necessity to raise school maintenance taxes in order to meet the provisions of the new Gilmer-Akin laws. Thirty districts were represented. Mr. Hicks said that trustees and patrons everywhere are keenly alive to the needs and with good planning educational standards can be raised.

Under the new laws teacher pay is greatly increased. In the common school districts as well as independent districts teacher pay is the major budget item.

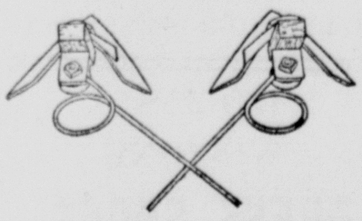
There are 11 dormant districts in the county as follows: Pin Oak, Gay Hill, Pleasant Hill, Hamilton Chapel, Bushdale, Minerva, Hoyte, Salem, Sandy Ridge, South Elm, Walkers Creek. Under the new laws districts must be consolidated with adjoining districts. This will present a problem for in many cases children are already transfering to schools of their choice.

The new bills go into effect in time to affect the organization of schools at the coming fall term.

Mr. Hicks will attend a Conference of Superintendents at Texas A&M June 27, 28 and 29 and on July 1 and 2 will be in Waco for a special meeting called by the state co-ordinator of the new school administration.

DOSKOCIL WEEDER

NEW 1949 MODEL



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Grasshoppers Pick Tune On Barbed Wire Getting to Tobe Chamberlain's Corn

Tobe Chamberlain is what you might call an integrated farmer and as such is used to rural sights and strange happenings.

Tobe keeps tryst here with yarn spinners of note, among them Grady Stidham, LaBertice Robinson, Archie McLerran, W. E. Chamberlain and Con Issacs.

It seems that Tobe now qualifies for the benches on the court house lawn. There the tall tales are spun every day and most anytime you want to listen you can get excited a plenty. The other day one of the veterans told a story about Ben Arnold washing away once. But that will come later.

This is about grasshoppers. Tobe said he heard barbed wire twanging the other morning and slight tremors from the ground. He walked out to investigate. Grasshoppers so big they were loosening up fence posts as they dove from them into the corn, were all along the fences. "Why even the little grasshoppers were so big and strong and were striking the barbed wire so had it sounded like a giant jewsharp," said Tobe.

BIG RAIN AT MARAK

Frank Stanislaw of Marak was in Cameron Saturday. He said that heavy rains have fallen there. In all around 6 inches. One day last week he said it must have rained about 5 inches between Marak and Yarrellton. It was almost a cloudburst and water washed away shocks of his hay. Crops are fine and clear, hot weather is needed now, he said.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Woods of Houston are spending a two weeks vacation in Cameron and Milano visiting relatives and friends. Mr. Woods is a brother to Ray Woods of Milano. He is employed with the U. S. Post Office in Houston and has been with the Post Office 26 years.

Dr. and Mrs. F. S. Sommer and son, Franklin are spending a vacation in Old Mexico, before going to Chicago and St. Louis where the doctor will attend Clinic School.

Hazel Burk of Cameron is ill in Newton Memorial Hospital.

ALABAMA SOLONS WOULD UNMASK HOODED ORDERS

WASHINGTON, June 22—Representative Celler, Democrat, New York, Wednesday ordered a full-scale congressional inquiry into hooded flogging incidents in Alabama.

The investigation will be undertaken by a civil rights subcommittee of the house judiciary committee, which Celler heads. Representative Byrne, Democrat, New York, will direct it.

Celler said the committee staff already is at work locating witnesses, who will be subpoened to appear here.

The recent beatings took place around Birmingham. Victims reported they were administered by white-sheeted men.

"This certainly highlights the necessity for legislation to protect the civil rights of citizens," Celler said in announcing the investigation.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., June 22—A bill to unmask any hooded organization in Alabama was approved by the house judiciary committee Wednesday.

The action followed an hour-long hearing during which Ku Klux Klan leaders urged defeat of the measure.

The action sends the senate-passed bill back to the house when it meets Friday.

The anti-masking measure was introduced by Senator Henry Mize of Tuscaloosa County. It already has cleared the senate.

William Hugh Morris, state director for the Klan, and Rev. Alvin Horn, Baptist minister from Talladega, a member of the Klan's board of directors, were among those who testified.

A measure to prohibit two or more persons, masked or otherwise, from entering the premises of another and interfering with business operations was introduced in the senate Tuesday.

Miss Barbara Jenness of Cameron is spending a two month vacation in Lubbock where she is guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Susie Jenness. While there they will be joined by Mr. and Mrs. Frank McElroy, Miss Velma Jenness and Mrs. Adele Baca for a party and will tour Carlsbad Caverns, other points in Mexico and into Colorado.

Roger Todd of Gause visited in Cameron Monday.

T. J. Faver spent a few days in San Antonio the past week.

Old Resident Writes About Bark Avenue; Doesn't Sign Name

June 23, 1949

Dear J. B.:

Let's get this Bark Avenue story straightened out. I lived there five years and should know.

Bark Avenue runs from W. 14th street to W. 18th street between South Austin and South Jefferson.

It's not a street but an alley dubbed Avenue. As to calling it Bark Avenue because so many dogs bark there, I pulled that one on Brogdon 5 or 6 years ago.

As to numbering the streets. All streets running east and west north of Main are uneven; all streets south of Main are even numbered.

As far as spraying is concerned, during the cleanup not any was used west of South College to the city limits or South of Main.

Sewer connections are unknown there."

Why didn't you sign your name?

Clayton Storey in the U. S. Navy has completed a two weeks cruise to the Bahama Islands by the way of Key West, Florida. On his way back to his home in Austin he visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Storey in Cameron and his wife and children who have spent the past two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Storey returned home with him.

CARD OF THANKS

With sincere gratitude we wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for the kindnesses shown us during the illness and death of our dear mother, Mrs. Lucy J. Hill. We are grateful to those who sent telegrams, cards of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings. We wish to thank our friends who placed their cars at our disposal and who opened their homes to us. Phillip and Lucky for their sympathetic services. The members of Bethel AME church we especially thank Rev. V. T. Herron, Rev. T. R. Ruffus and Rev. S. J. Matthews for their consoling words. Also the friends who sent such delicious food.

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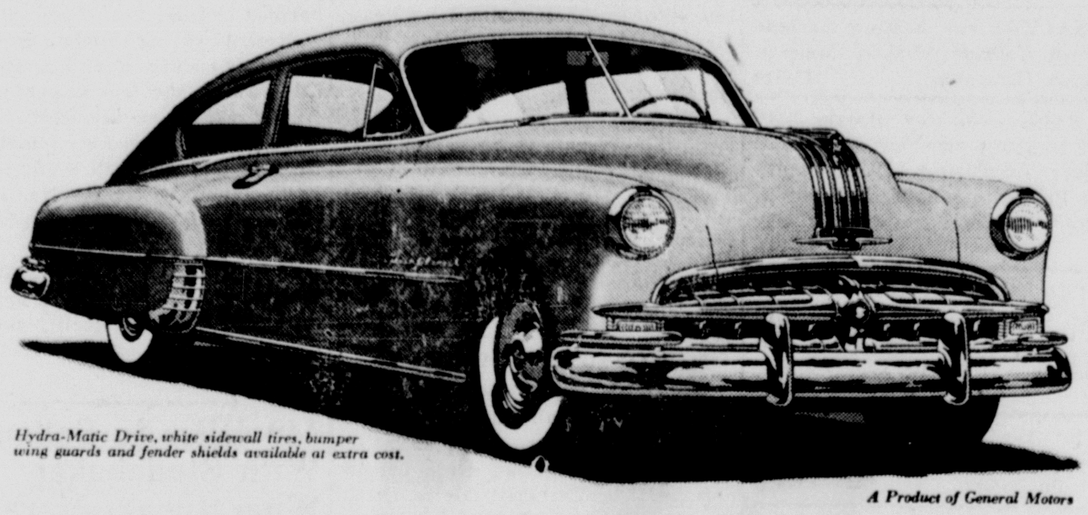

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Fifteen years ago, the average depth of a Humble well was 4,362 feet. Ten years ago, the Company went 700 feet deeper, to about 5,000 feet, to find oil for you. And the average depth of producing Humble wells drilled in 1948 was 6,695 feet. That's average. The oil companies go a lot deeper if they think they can find oil farther down. The deepest well drilled in 1948 was 17,696 feet; it was a wildcat well which discovered neither oil nor gas.

How deep is an oil well? It's as deep as it has to be to find or produce oil, or to prove that there's no oil there.

Costs go up as wells go deeper. A well 10,000 feet deep costs, on the average, about three times as much as a 7,000-foot well; a 15,000-foot well may cost *12 times as much.*

To find and produce more oil for you requires a tremendous lot of money. And in any territory, there's a considerable risk involved, for only by drilling can you prove, or disprove, that a geological or geophysical "prospect" actually contains oil. In fact, a good many hundreds of millions of dollars have been invested in drilling "dry holes." In an unproved area, the odds are 9 to 1 against the chances of finding oil.

But the oil industry continues to drill wherever scientists think there is a possibility of finding oil; it will go as deep as today's equipment will permit in its hunt for oil . . . because it is a responsible, dynamic industry whose major interest is to supply the oil you need today, and to provide reserves of oil for your needs, and those of the country, in the years to come.

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NEW PARITY STANDARDS WILL HIKE INCOME

Democrats in the lower house of congress over riding all republican opposition Tuesday voted to give the Brannon Bill a test.

The bill would:

1. Permit Secretary of Agriculture Brannon to experiment next year with a three-crop "trial run" of the Truman administration's new and controversial "production payment" principle to support farm income.

Brannan contends this payment idea would mean cheaper food for consumers and assured income to farmers. Some farm organizations have attacked it as a farmer "dole."

2. Repeal the 1949 Aiken law, which is due to set up next year a flexible 60 to 90 per cent of parity price support program for agriculture. Parity, as presently defined, is a price calculated to give farmers a return for the crops in fair relationship to the prices of things they buy.

3. Create a new parity-of-farm income system, as proposed by Brannan, and support prices on major crops at 100 per cent of that standard. This might mean for most crops the highest price supports ever attempted by the government.

Prices of major crops now are supported at 90 per cent of the old parity standard. These support prices are maintained through government loans and purchases that keep price-depressing surplus crops out of the markets.

Under the administration's production payments proposal, prices of perishable crops would be permitted to drop to whatever the market would pay. Then the government would pay. subsidies to farmers to make up the difference between the market price and the parity-of-income standard.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F.Gohmert spent a few days the past week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gohmert of Corpus Christi. Their daughter Becky who had been visiting there returned home with them.

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This Cameron Business Woman Did Not Take "No" For An Answer; Why Should You?

This in brief, is how a Cameron business woman got action on deplorable sanitary conditions on 'Latrene' Avenue already mentioned in the several chronicles on the city's failure to lead out in a planned cleaning up of Cameron.

Others have found and are finding the same sort of lassitude on the part of the Council and officials responsible. But this Cameron woman would not take "No" for an answer. Will you?

"I had looked forward for a long period to the time when I could build my new shop, said Miss Lalla Meyers who owns one of the most modern beauty shops in central Texas far down on South Houston. "But it was unthinkable to go ahead when the area was so badly kept and in addition without sewerage or sanitary regulations. Little did I know what treatment I would get, but as I look back I am glad for there is always a way to get things done. I finally had to go to Austin to force action.

"Citizens and tax payers should always feel at liberty to ask their local government to enforce law. When I first mentioned the need I was told that no drainage was possible. Many others have been told the same thing. That of course was not true. They just wanted to have an excuse for not acting. So don't take "No" for an answer. I didn't. This may help others. I went ahead and built my building, installed sewerage and connected with the main and as I knew and everyone else knew had no drainage troubles. Across from my place for many years was the worst sort of open conditions.

"I went before the Council. I was given the old routine, the run-around about drainage. I did not take 'No' for an answer. I proved them wrong as most anyone else can do. I then sought out the public health authorities I felt were responsible for enforcement. I sought out the legal arm of the city. I do not think I was treated with proper respect. This went on for some time. I did not take 'No' for an answer. Finally when I was told that they would do nothing I got in touch with my brother in Austin and we went to the State Health Department.

"I knew that when such a condition was brought to their attention something would be done. It was. Within the space of time required the particular condition about which I and so many others had complained through the years was remedied. I cannot imagine any official opposing the things I sought to have done. I know that many others, day after day, all over the city, have the same things to contend with. My advice to you is to call on your city officials to remedy these conditions. You have the law, and your health, the health of your neighbors and decency on your side. Force the issue. I didn't take 'No' for an answer. Why should you? Go to Austin, lay your case before the state health authorities. Know your rights and know the law. If you will do this we can clean up Cameron. And as for those who protect filth by inaction; who get mad with you and abuse you for complainng, the remedy is at the ballot box. Remember if you take any more off of them you have no one to blame but yourself."

It is refreshing to have folks speak out as Miss Lalla has spoken. Miss Lalla is not conducting a crusade. She was mistreated and wouldn't take it. She fought back. Is that a crime in Cameron? We don't think so. Miss Lalla has been most reasonable. All she asked for was a simple enforcement of a law that is not only a good one but highly necessary.

Right now, all over Cameron, groups of citizens are wondering what they can do. Well, there are a number of things you can do. One thing you should not do is take "No" for an answer. Nor should you take that old routine runaround about no money. The sewer system pays or will pay its way anytime. All they need to do is enforce the law and they will have money enough to make Cameron one of the cleanest cities in Texas.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION
No. 36

proposing an Amendment to Artcile III of the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature of the State of Texas to provide for the establishment and creation of hospital districts; providing for the Governor's proclamation and submission to the electorate.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be and the same is hereby amended by adding to said Article a new Section to be designated as Section 60, reading as follows:

"Section 60. The Legislature shall have the authority to provide by law for the establishment and creation of hospital districts in the counties of this State under such conditions as the Legislature may fix by law, and to this State support of said districts by a tax on the ad valorem properties situated in said counties; providing, however, that before any such district shall be created it shall be approved by a vote of the people in said district."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electorate of the State at an election to be held on the fourth Saturday in September, 1949, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon (or in counties using voting machines the said machines shall provide for) the following:

"FOR The Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to provide for the establishment and creation of hospital districts"; and

"AGAINST The Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to provide for the establishment and creation of hospital districts."

Each voter shall mark out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed Amendment, and if it shall appear from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State. 12-4tc

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Cox are her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Snyder and daughter, Judy from Franklin, Penn., they will also visit Mrs. Snyder's mother, Mrs. Paul Cast in Austin before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Peirce of Liberty made a business trip to Cameron one day last week.

Mrs. A. J. Anderson left Tuesday to visit friends in Cleveland, Beaumont and Port Arthur.

Mrs. Charlie Griffin of Yarrellton was a guest in the home of Mrs. Susie Matthews Sunday.

Clyde Williams of Hanover transacted business in Cameron Monday of this week.

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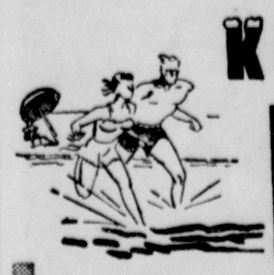

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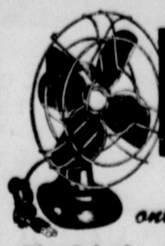

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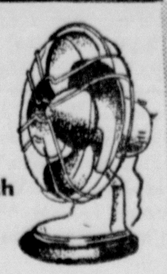

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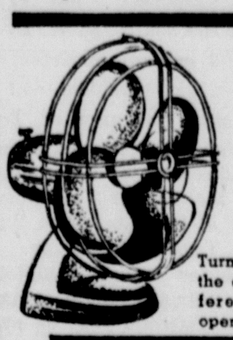

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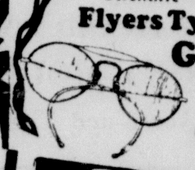

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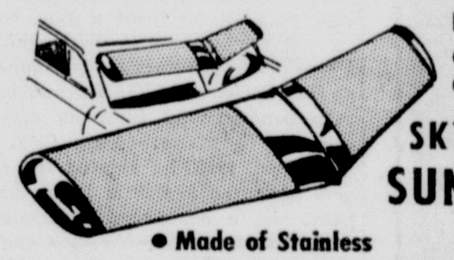

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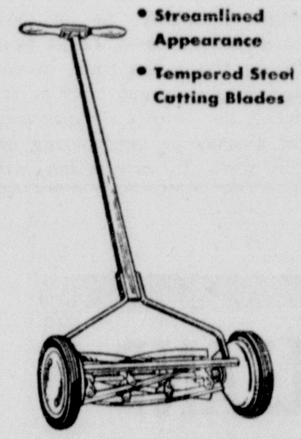

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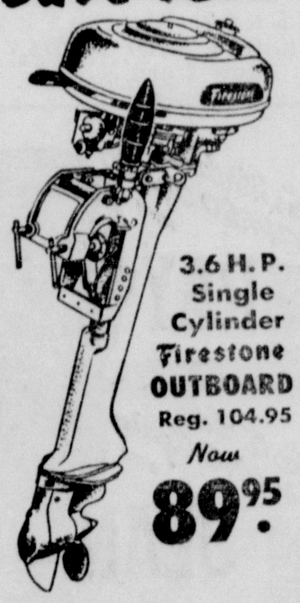

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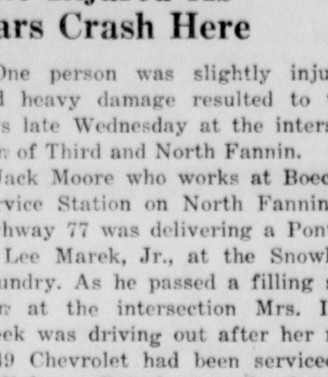
One Injured As Cars Crash Here

One person was slightly injured and heavy damage resulted to two cars late Wednesday at the intersection of Third and North Fannin.

Jack Moore who works at Boecker Service Station on North Fannin at highway 77 was delivering a Pontiac to Lee Marek, Jr., at the Snowhite Laundry. As he passed a filling station at the intersection Mrs. Ivan Cleek was driving out after her new 1949 Chevrolet had been serviced.

Highway Patrolmen and other officers at the scene of the wreck said that Mrs. Cleek's car had crashed into the Pontiac. It was believed that Mrs. Cleek was temporarily blinded by the sun. According to estimates Mr. Marek's car was damaged to the extent of $400 and Mrs. Cleek's car was damaged an estimated $250.

Mrs. Leona G. White, accompanied by Mrs. T. J. White and three sons, Jeffrey, Philip and Mark of Houston are visiting Mrs. W. A. White and other relatives in Nixon. They will also visit in San Antonio before returning home.



CAMERON THEATRE
THURSDAY AND FRIDAY
June 30 and July 1

CAMERON THEATRE
THURSDAY AND FRIDAY
July 7 and 8

TP&L President

W. W. LYNCH

Mr. Lynch succeeds John W. Carpenter as President of the Texas Power & Light Company. Mr. Carpenter becomes Chairman of the Board.

CARPENTER IS NAMED CHAIRMAN OF BOARD

John W. Carpenter was named chairman of the board, W. W. Lynch, president and general manager, and Lee E. Cook, vice-president and assistant general manager of Texas Power & Light Company at a meeting of the directors of the company following the annual meeting of stockholders at the Interurban Building, Dallas, Texas, Wednesday.

Mr. Carpenter is now completing his thirtieth year as general manager and his twenty-second year as president and general manager of the company.

Mr. Lynch has been in the service of the company for 26 years, has been vice-president since 1936, executive vice-president since 1947, and a director since 1938. He is a native Texan, born in Marshall. Following his graduation from Texas A&M College in 1922, he spent a year as a student engineer with Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Company at East Pittsburgh, Pa., first as sales correspondent and later as service engineer in New York City. In November, 1923, he entered the employ of Texas Power & Light Company, where he served successively as assistant to the efficiency engineer, construction supervisor, assistant to the superintendent of transmission and head of the distribution department, which position he held until he was moved to the executive department in 1936 and elected vice-president.

Mr. Cook, a native Texan, born at Jasper, was graduated from Texas A&M College in 1920, after which he entered the employ of the engineering department of Texas Power & Light Company. He has been with the Texas Power & Light Company during the entire time, in various capacities, except for a few years when he was on successive leaves of absence on engineering and executive work in connection with electric utility operations in Texas and elsewhere.

Reporting to the stockholders, Mr. Carpenter told about the progress made during the last year, stating that the company now serves more than 250,000 customers. He reported that, during 1948, the company enlarged its Brownwood power plant by the installation of two 2,250-kilowatt generators, built a new generating station at Clarksville of 1,000-kilowatt capacity, enlarged many of its substations and made a vast number of extensions and improvements to its transmission and distribution facilities. He stated that installation of a new 12,500-kilowatt turbo-generator at the Waco power plant has been completed this year and that the new 63,000-kilowatt turbo-generator at the Trinidad generating station would be ready for service late in the year.

The stockholders voted to amend the charter of the company so as to increase the authorized common stock from 3,000,000 share to 6,000,000 shares. The funds derived from the sale of additional stock will be used to finance the company's program of expansion and improvement of its physical property.

Other officers of the compnay are Ted B. Ferguson, vice-president in charge of sales and advertising; Edward T. Keck, vice-president in charge of engineering and power; G. B. Richardson, vice-president; John C. Young, vice-president; George W. Beams, J. F. Skelton and W. B. Wright, assistant vice-presidents; George R. Marrs, treasurer and assistant secretary; W. G. Burnett, secretary and assistant treasurer; Frost Justiss and O. G. Osburn, assistant secretaries and assistant treasurers; C. S. Foster and A. J. Kleinman, assistant treasurers; and Eugene S. Wood, assistant secretary.

New dieectors elected Wednesday arde E. L. Ashcroft, Jr., Sulphur Springs, and Mr. Cook. Directors re-elected are Messrs. Carpenter, Lynch Ferguson, Keck and Young; Nathan Adams, H. L. Aller, Tyree L. Bell and H. L. Seay, all of Dallas; Stanton Brown, Waco; Tom H. DeLay, Tyler; S. G. Gernert, Taylor; A. G. Hopkins, Sherman; Lewis Johnson, Jacksboro; Thos. Johnson, McKinney; Ernest L. Kurth, Lufkin; Allin Mitchell, Corsicana; Pat M. Neff, Waco, and Maury Robinson, Paris.

GOVERNOR APPROVES LIFTING RENT LID

Governor Jester signed the Rent Decontrol Bill just enacted by the Legislature Wednesday morning.

In Dallas Tighe Woods, with the Federal Rent Control Agency said that action on the part of Washington would depend on what the legal arm of the government did. Attorney General Clark's department may act since the government has asked the governor not to sign the bill because it conflicts with Federal law.

Attorney General Price Daniel at Austin ruled Wednesday that the bill is in order and does not conflict with Federal Law.

The primary objective of the Government's plea for a veto was the situation around military establishments.

Rents generally have not been advanced in de-control areas.

Under the Texas bill cities may impose controls where necessary.

Mrs. Adolph Winfield and son, Bennie Ray have returned from New York where they made an extended visit with relatives and friends.

Guests in the home of the L. A. Luckos were their children Mrs. J. L. Shelton and children, Lester and Carolyn of Aberdeen, Mississippi and Mrs. Vista Shelton of Birmingham.

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Directed by LLOYD BACON Produced by WILLIAM PERLBERG

THE CAMERON THEATRE
SUNDAY AND MONDAY, JULY 3 and 4

YARRELLTON NEWS

Miss Gloria Jungmann visited relatives in San Antonio the past two weeks.

Miss Nell Mayes spent the week end with Mrs. Rodney Barker and attended the revival while here.

Frank Griffin has returned home after being a patient in Newton Memorial Hospital.

Charlie Grimmin returned to his home Monday after being a patient in a local hospital for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Russell and children visited in Rosebud Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Jungmann visited in San Antonio Wednesday and were accompanied by their daughters Gloria of San Antonio and Doris Nell for a visit with home folks over the week end.

Rev. Horace Whitesides of Friendship is assisting Rev. R. L. South with a revival.

Ed Lake visited his sister Mrs. Arthur Tubbs in San Angelo over the week end.

Mrs. Ella Clark is visiting in the Frank and Charlie Griffin homes this week.

Betty Jo and Janice Raye Barker of Rockdale have returned home after a visit with their uncle, Ed Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Griswold and Aleen visited in Dallas Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Helen Rubbs of Ballinger is recupperating in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Colburn at this time after treatment in King Daughters Hospital in Temple. Mrs. Colburn stayed at her bed side during the eye operation. Friends will be glad to know she is improving.

Misses Mildred and Christine Weir of Madisonville spent the past week visiting in the W. D. Faver home.

Mrs. Frank Hanel visited her son George Hanel and family at Liberty Sunday.

Ray Dean Ottmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ottmer of Route 1 Buckholts is ill in Newton Memorial Hospital.

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Cameron Theatre

SATURDAY, JULY 2
"ADVENTURES OF GALLANT BESS"
Fuzzy Knight and Audrey Long

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SUNDAY AND MONDAY, JULY 3 and 4
"IT HAPPENS EVERY SPRING"
Ray Milland and Jean Peters

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TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, JULY 5 and 6
"KISS IN THE DARK"
David Niven and Jane Wyman

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THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, JULY 7 and 8
"YOUNGER BROTHERS"
Wayne Morris and Janis Paige

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SATURDAY, JULY 9
"LOADED PISTOLS"
Gene Autry

Milam Theatre

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, JULY 1 and 2
"BROTHERS IN THE SADDLE"
Tim Tolt

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SUNDAY AND MONDAY, JULY 3 and 4
"SMOKY MOUNTAIN MELODY"
Roy Acuff and The Smoky Mountain Boys

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TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, JULY 5 and 6
"COVER UP"
William Bendix and Barbara Britton

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THURSDAY, JULY 7
"STORMY"
Noah Beery, Jr.

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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, JULY 8 and 9
"RENEGADES OF SONORA"
Allan Lane

NEW LAWS UP ELECTION DATES BEGINNING 1950

Look for Early Politics!

This doesn't necessarily mean there will be more candidates. It means that political campaigns will open earlier because of the new laws regulating primary elections.

The whole process of recording votes has been stepped up and slow pokes who want to put off doing things may get left at the post.

In the first place the first Primary election will be held on the fourth Saturday in April of 1950. The second Primary will be held on the fourth Saturday in May. Before this law was changed the first primary was held on the fourth Saturday in July and the second primary was held on the fourth Saturday in August.

Preliminary study of the new laws reveal that there may be a uniform filing date for all candidates. This change was needed. That date is the second Monday in March. That will be the final date to file. Any candidate may file now or any time up to second Monday in March.

This moves elections forward from 60 to 90 days.

Candidates will do their campaigning in cool weather. That will be a god's send to the veterans who are more crutchwise than Olympic. It will be a boon to the poor sucker with the poll tax. He can get his indiscretions off before summer sets in. If he suffers remorse for how he cast his vote, he can suffer better when its cooler.

Normally candidates would begin their campaigns in January or in some cases the latter part of this year. City primaries are held in January.

There are other changes which will be discussed later, as soon as more information is available. They have to do with the so called safety of the ballot.

John Willard Hensley, 9 Months Old Son of Clyde Hensleys, Jr., Buried In Corsicana

Funeral services for John Willard Hensley, 9 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hensley, Jr., of Corsicana, were held at 5 p. m. Friday, June 17 from the family residence in that city.

Their baby son was born with a heart ailment and was known as a "Blue Baby". His condition was such that surgeons could not operate although the baby had been under constant care since birth in preparation for the time when an operation could be performed.

Physicians had advised the parents that the baby might never be strong enough to withstand an operation.

Services were held at Griffin Funeral Chapel by Dr. Edwin Bohmfalk, pastor First Methodist Church with interment in Oakwood cemetery in Corsicana.

Surviving are the parents, one brother Clyde Hensley III, and grand parents Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Willard of Corsicana and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hensley, Sr., of Cameron.

Pallbearers were Debs Hensley, Charles Ed Hensley, Gordon Willard and Nevin Willard.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hensley, Jr., parents of the baby, were in Cameron Friday on their way to visit with friends in Houston and New Orleans. Friends here were deeply sorrowful to learn of the loss of their baby son.

Milestone Model

W. F. Armstrong, general manager of Chevrolet, (left) and T. H. Keating, general sales manager, beam approvingly as the 22,000,000th Chevrolet emerges from the face of a king-size calendar. Behind June are the other months in which million-car milestones have been passed by the company since the war. The 22,000,000th was built within ten months of the 21,000,000th.

ACREAGE CONTROL ON U S COTTON LOOMS

A new plan for federal control of cotton planting and marketing— intended to curtail threatened postwar surpluses—was approved unanimously today by a senate agriculture subcommittee.

Chairman Anderson (D-NM), who is a former secretary of agriculture, told a reporter he expects both senate and house approval at this season.

"Under present laws we could not have effective controls," Anderson said. "We could have an acreage allotment of as high as 27,500,000 acres and that would mean too much cotton."

Keypoints of the new program worked out as a compromise between Agriculture department officials, cotton interests and major farm organizations, as outlined by Anderson, include:

1. A minimum allotment of 10,000,000 bales or slightly less in the next two years. This compares with a crop of 14,626,000 bales last year and estimates of an even larger cotton crop this year.

2. An acreage base of 22,500,000 acres from which allotments would be made with special adjustments for small farms of five acres or less. New cotton areas. And other special conditions such as cotton acreage planted to wartime crops. Actual acreage allotment probably would be considerably less than the 22,500,000 acres for the next few years.

3. Provisions allowing state and county farmer committees to decide upon allotments within their areas rather than allowing federal agriculture officials here to do this.

"Beautina" Jersey Calf Now Weighs 270 Lbs.; Eating Startena

This is a report on Beautina.

She is the Jersey calf from Chamberlain's Dairy, taken for feeding on Purina Calf Startena at the Fuchs Brothers Ideal Hatchery in Cameron some time ago.

Little Beautina will never be the same again. When she came to the hatchery to be fed out of those checker board sacks she just weighed 133 pounds. Now she weighs 270 pounds and has gone back to the dairy.

She ate 600 pounds of calf startena and one bale of hay during the period of four months.

Leo Fuchs said that milk at 50c per gallon would save $29.00 in the period in which the calf was fed because it takes less milk to produce a good calf when Purina Calf Startena is fed.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No.38

proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Texas by adding to Article XVI thereof a new Section to be Numbered 63 and authorizing the Legislature to provide for a statewide system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of the several counties of this State; providing that participation therein by counties shall be voluntary, and authorized by the qualified voters of such county, and providing that administration of said system may be committed to the same body set up to administer the statewide municipal retirement system authorized under Section 51f of Article III.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new Section, to be numbered Section 63, which shall read as follows:

"Section 63. The Legislature shall have the authority to provide for a statewide system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of the counties of this State under such a plan and program as the Legislature shall authorize; provided, that participation therein by counties shall be voluntary, and shall first be authorized by vote of the qualified voters of such county. Administration of such system may be committed to the same body as may be set up to administer the municipal retirement system provided for by Section 51f of Article III."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors for members of the Legislature at an election to be held throughout this State on the fourth Saturday in September, 1949; and at said election the ballots shall have printed thereon the word "FOR the Constitutional Amendment authorizing a statewide system for retirement and disability pensions for appointive county officials and employees," and "AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment authorizing a statewide system for retirement and disability pensions for appointive county officials and employees." Each voter shall strike out one of said clauses on his ballot, leaving the one unmarked which expresses his vote upon the proposed amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and shall have the foregoing proposed amendment published as required by the Constitution for proposed amendments thereto.

Sec. 4. If at said election, a majority of the votes cast are "FOR the Constitutional Amendment authorizing a statewide system for retirement and disability pensions for appointive county officials and employees," the foregoing proposed amendment shall become Section 63 of Article XVI of the Constitution of Texas, and proclamation shall be made by the Governor thereof.

Sec. 5. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars ($5,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such proclamation, notice and election. 12-4tc

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Now I'm Going Back To High School!

When I saw lights burning in the High School auditorium last night, I looked in to see what went on. About twenty people were listening to Buzz Ellis, the electrician, talk about television.

I slipped into a back seat and asked Hap Thomas what was up. Hap told me it was the new Self-Improvement Club. I stayed to listen—and learned a lot. Buzz really knows his stuff.

Turns out this club meets every Friday night. Each member gives a talk on the subject he knows most about. I joined on the spot because learning new things is one of my favorite hobbies.

From where I sit, it's willingness to learn from the other person that makes Americans tolerant towards so many different viewpoints and tastes in things. Just because Buzz Ellis goes for chocolate malteds, while I prefer a mellow glass of beer, doesn't mean I'm right and he's wrong. Incidentally, next week I'm going to talk on how to run a newspaper.

Joe Marsh

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Guardsmen Softball Team Wins Over Yarrellton Here

National Guard softball team, formed recently by Battery C, 649th Anti-aircraft Artillery Battalion, won its second game in the City League on last Monday evening by hanging a 17 to 12 defeat on Yarrellton.

Only a week before the Guardsmen had slammed out a 8 to 7 win over Jones Prairie.

Monday evening's game was won the hard way. The Guardsmen were trailing by 11 to 4 at the beginning of the sixth inning. In that frame, however, and in the seventh they managed to knock in 13 runs while allowing only one more to Yarrellton, and so put the game on ice.

The Guardsmen will next play Maysfield Mercantile Company on June 30.

Mrs. Juanita S. Lyon had a major operation Monday of this week at King Daughters Hospital in Temple. Mrs. Lyon is a sister of W .H. Stafford of Cameron and has many frends here who wish her a speedy recovery. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stafford spent the day in Temple Monday to be with her during the operation.

Mrs. Jane Story is ill at her home in Cameron. Friends and relatives will regret to learn of her illness and wish for her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Yale Rice of Amarillo is spending a few days in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Slaughter.

A. D. Lagrone spent the week end in Milano visiting his parents.

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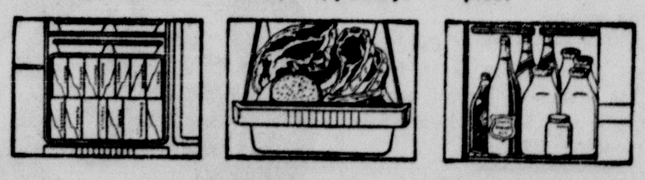

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Society in the News

Alice Marie Coker and Ben Frank White, Jr., Are Married In Candle Light Ceremony At Methodist Church In Cameron June 26

ALICE MARIE COKER— 14—

The wedding of Miss Alice Marie Coker and Ben Frank White, Jr. was solemnized in a candle light ceremony at First Methodist Church, June 26. Rev. Lee Lemons, pastor read the impressive double ring ceremony before an altar banked with woodwardia fern and standard baskets of pink gladiolius.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Coker of Cameron and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Ben Frank White, Sr., of Temple.

Miss Nancy Tripp provided a program of nuptial music and accompanied Miss Shirley Horstmann who sang, "I Love You Truly" and "Because".

The bride, given in marriage by her father wore white organdy over taffeta fashioned with fitted bodice and off the shoulder neck-line, with scalloped bertha collar. The tiered skirt edged with ruffles fell into a train. She wore full length gloves and her finger-tip veil of bridal illusion fell from a crown of pearls. Her only Jewelry was a strand of baby seed pearls, and she carried out the tradition of something old, something new, something borrowed and something blue, also the penny in her shoe. Her bouquet was made of split carnations and centered with a white orchid, showered with white satin streamers.

The matron of honor, Mrs. H. V. Streetman, sister of the groom wore a pink organdy dress over taffeta, with matching gloves and bandeau of satin and illusion. Her colonial bouquet was made of yellow carnations. Mrs. L. D. Alford of Ardmore, Oklahoma and Miss Blenda Ray of Fort Knox, Kentucky were bridemaids and wore blue and yellow respectively and carried colonial bouquets of pink and orchid carnations.

Milton Solomon of Waco served the groom as best man and groomsmen were: Jack Carr of Waco and Grady Coker, brother of the bride of Cameron. Ushers were: D. L. Isam and Ray Tidwell both of Waco.

Mrs. Coker chose a beige linen dress for her daughter's wedding. Pink gloves, a pink flowered hat and a corsage of pink carnations completed her ensemble. Mrs. White, the groom's mother was attired in a rose colored lace and chiffon dinner dress, complimented by blue gloves, a blue and rose flowered hat and a blue gardenia corsage.

A reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Coker. The table was laid with an ecrue lace cloth and chrystal candle holders. The centerpiece was a bowl of sweet peas. A lovely tiered cake with a miniature bride and groom was served with fruit punch and mints. Misses Peggy and Betty Van Pelt of Waco served the cake and punch. Mrs. Bruce Baker registered the guests at the brides book. Guests were invited to view the lovely gifts for the bride.

The bride is a graduate of Yoe High School. She received a two year degree at Baylor and has had 19 months nurses training at Hillcrest Hospital in Waco. The groom is a graduate of Waco High School and one year at Baylor University. He is now employed with the U. S. Post Office in Waco.

For travel the bride wore an aqua sharkskin suit, with a brown off the face straw hat, nylon lace gloves and coca brown shoes and bag, and a white orchid corsage.

After a wedding trip to Tulsa, Oklahoma and other points of interest the couple will be at home at 510 North 16th Street in Waco.

Miss Nelda Bryant And Clovis Russell Are Married June 18

Miss Nelda Bryant became the bride of Clovis Russell, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Russell of West at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bryant of Burlington Saturday, June 18.

Rev. Joe Gilmore pastor of the Burlington Baptist church read the double ring ceremony.

After the wedding the couple left for a trip to San Antonio, Mexico City and other points of interest.

The families of the bride and groom wish to express their thanks to their friends and loved ones for their love and best wishes given them in their happy marriage.

Loreta Boedeker and Joseph Palermo Are Married In Bryan

Miss Loretta Boedeker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Boedeker of Caldwell became the bride of Joseph Palermo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Palermo at the St. Anthony church in Bryan Sunday, June 12 at 8:30 a. m.

On the main altar was an arrangement of peach Gladiola and on either side were baskets of white roses, fern and marigolds. A row of mixed flowers in vases were arranged on the side altars.

The bride given in marriage by her father wore a lovely wedding gown of marquisette over taffeta. Dainty lace ruffles trimed the square yoke.

The long veil fell from a tiari of orange blossoms. She carried a white Bible topped with orchids.

The little flower girl, Pat Matula was dressed in a white dress matching the bride and carried a Rainbow bouquet of carnations with satin streamers. She was attended by little Charles Matula.

Members of the wedding party were dressed to match the bride. Matron of Honor was the sister of the groom. She was dressed in blue and carried a bouquet of Gardenias, Maid of Honor, Rose Marie Moraw wore pink and the brides maid, Marie Banano was dressed in a cream colored dress and they carried Gardenia bouquets.

Following the wedding a reception was held at the hall in Bryan and a delicious chicken barbecue was enjoyed by the guests.

The bride is a graduate of Caldwell High School. The groom is in business with his father in Bryan, where the couple will make their home following a wedding trip.

Cpl. and Mrs. Verron Plantt and Mr. and Mrs. John Brasher visited Manuel Matthews at the Shamrock Hotel in Houston last week. Cpl. and Mrs. Plantt and Mrs. Matthews visited in the John Brasher home in Cameron the past week end.

Marjorie Kidd and David R. Kraft Are Married Here Monday

The martial rites of Marjorie Kidd and David R. Kraft were solemnized at nine-thirty in the morning, June 27 at First Baptist Church, with Rev. Percy A. Corkern officiating.

Woodwardia fern and tall floor baskets of pink and white peonies provided a beautiful setting for the ceremony.

Mrs. Francis Cox played a program of nuptial music and accompanied Miss Shirley Horstmann who sang "Because".

The bride was prettily attired in a white waffle pique dress fashioned with organdy insets, matching hat and white linen accessories. She carried a bouquet of pink asters.

Ushers were Wayland Kidd, brother of the bride and George Kraft, brother of the groom.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. The bride's table was laid with a white Chinese linen cloth and centered with pink asters on a reflector. Mrs. Dorothy Perrin Carroll served the triple tiered wedding cake, and Marjorie Denson served the punch. Mrs. Robert Rhode and Miss Mary Burns assisted in the dining room. Martha Lee Werner presided at the bride's book.

Out-of-town guests included, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Kraft of Ft. Worth, George Kraft of Dallas, Wayland Kidd of Crane, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rhode and daughter, Janet of Kingsville, Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Smith and daughter Alice of Houston and Mrs. John Hudson and Mrs. Anne Hudson of Georgetown.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Kidd of Cameron. She was valedictorian of the 1943 class of Yoe High School and later received a B A degree from the University of Texas. She was a faculty member of New Caney and Hutto Public Schools.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Kraft of Ft. Worth and a veteran of World War II, having served more than two years in North Africa and Italy. He is a graduate of Brackenridge High School, San Antonio, and holds a BBA degree from the University of Texas. He is now employed by the Humble Oil and Refining Co., at Wink, Texas.

After a wedding trip the bride and groom will be at home at Wink.

The John Prudes in Cameron for Visit With Old Friends

Mr. and Mrs. John Prude of Colorado City were recent visitors in Cameron, having spent the week end here renewing old associations.

Mr. Prude is manager of theaters in Colorado City. During the war years he was manager of the Swift Theatres in Cameron while Mr. Swift was in the navy.

Mrs. Prude enjoyed her visit with old friends. Their oldest son was born in Cameron. Right now Mr. Prude is building a drive in theatre.

Among the people they missed were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Swift who are spending the summer in Pennsylvania.

Jim Turney of Hanover was in Cameron Monday on business.

Farm Bureau Treasurer Says It Was Pleasure To Write $100 Check For Baby Linda

Cameron, Texas

"I have never written a check, whether personal or for some organization, that has given me as much pleasure as this one from the Milam County Farm Bureau to Baby Linda.

"With this check go the prayers of 774 Farm Bureau families, for the complete recovery of Little Linda. This money was taken from funds from the Farm Bureau Treasury, but a hat was passed at the meeting Thursday night and $33.31 was raised and presented to Mr. A. J. Reynolds who recently lost his house and all furnishings by fire.

"Mr. White, as I read the daily list of doners, I find so many names missing that could donate and never miss the money. I wonder what is in the hearts of these people who could help and don't. Reading the list I see names that I know had to make a sacrifice to dnate even a dollar and yet I know giving they must have brought peace and happiness to their hearts.

"Mr. White, I wonder if you and Mrs. White realize what a lot of good you are doing in this world? I wish you could hear just half of the nice things people say about you and how Cameron feels about "Our Editor an dhis wife."

"Mr. A. J. Reynolds came out to our house to-night to get an oil stove we gave him and he said people had been so good to them and he appreciates the things that have been doing for he and his children. At present he is living in the school house until his home can be rebuilt.

MRS. JAMES ELROD

Mrs. T. J. White and three sons have returned to their home in Houston after spending several days visiting relatives and friends in Cameron, Burlington and San Antonio.

Mrs. Millie Horelica of Cameron is a medical patient in Newton Memorial Hospital.

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